

Jeff Griggs from Austin, Texas has moved to Number 4 apt. at the white apartments which Evan Probst built on Third West between First and Second North.

Jeff lived in Park City two years ago during ski season and fell in love with the area. He is a carpenter and is looking for employment.

Jeff is 34 and single. He was married for seven years. They had no children. His parents are Lydall and Marie Griggs and live in Port Neches, Texas. He also has a brother Dan and sister Lynda.

Jeff served in the Marine Corps with 13 months in Vietnam in 1968 to 1970. He graduated from the Steven F. Austin University with a biology Bachelor of Science Degree. He worked as a carpenter to put himself through college and enjoyed it enough to go on with that trade.

We wish him success and happiness here.

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More money was needed, however, to finish the building and furnish it, so the taxpayers voted to bend the district for \$2,000 for five years.

On November 25, 1901, without dismissing school, the classes moved into the new building. The grammar grades moved into the south room, upstairs, with T. B. Miller as principal and teacher. The third primary occupied the north room upstairs with Miss Stella Rasmussen as teacher. Miss Rose Shore taught second primary in the north room downstairs and the first primary occupied the south room downstairs with Miss Mary E. Abeggle as teacher. The intermediate grades continued to meet in the old school building with Charles E. Bronson as teacher.



The first graduating class of the Midway School to have formal graduation exercises. Shown in this 1905 group are, seated, left to right, Alfred Sharp, Nellie Provost, Theo B. Miller, teacher, Ora Galli and Charles Bonner. Standing are Iva Bunnell, Eliza Bronson, Nancy Van Wagoner and Ellen Wilson.

The new building cost some \$5,500 to build. Some of the surplus rock and other materials were sold to provide money for furnishings, a fence and badly needed books.

In 1904 the first students were graduated from the new school's eighth grade program. The four graduates were Myrtle Abplanalp, Belle Wilson, David Clayburn and David J. Wilson.

By 1906 the school's principal, Theodore B. Miller was urging that



Sarah Luella Cummings Johnson, 97, died March 11, 1987 at her home. Born September 23, 1889 in Heber City to Isaac and Sarah Jones Cummings. Married A. Ralph Johnson September 23, 1907 in Heber City. Later solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple. He died August 21, 1969.



Sarah Luella Cummings Johnson

Served as a Relief Society visiting teacher. Known as a very good cook, especially for her pies and cookies.

Survived by children: Mrs. Earl (Atha) Montgomery, Mrs. Mac Murdock and Mrs. Leo (Nona) Babb, all of Heber City; Fay R. Johnson, Orem; and Jay O. Johnson, Sandy. Nineteen grandchildren, 73 great grandchildren, 37 great great grandchildren. Preceded in death by an infant son, Rex C.

Funeral services were held at the Heber 4th Ward Chapel. Burial Heber City Cemetery.



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